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SIR:

Applicant and her counsel have carefully reviewed the Office Action dated March 14, 2006, but believe the claims in their present form are patentable over the prior art references cited by the Examiner therein. Reconsideration of the application in view of the following arguments in support of patentability is therefore respectfully requested.